Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) Recruitment Notice – Summer Employment Opportunity

Position Title: Youth Conservation Corps

Description of Project/ Purpose of Position: Youth Conservation Corps members work, learn, and grow in public lands restoring, rehabilitating, and repairing the natural, cultural, and historical resources protected as federally preserved places. Environmental education is also an important part of the YCC program. YCC members will experience educational activities to enhance their understanding of the area's natural resources and how they are managed.

Where: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Bombay Hook National Wildlife Refuge

2591 Whitehall Neck Road

Smyrna, DE 19977

Tour: Full-time (40 Hrs per week) summer employment, Monday through Friday for 8 weeks,

starting on or about June 17 through August 09, 2013. Independence Day, celebrated on

Monday, July 4th, is a paid holiday.

Salary: \$7.25 per hour (minimum wage)

Duties: Projects may include building, landscaping, road, and trail maintenance; office projects;

inventorying brochure supplies; and maintaining bird feeders.

Required: A personal interest in outdoor work. The ability to use common hand tools and to perform

demanding physical labor. Must be between 15 and 18 years of age for the duration of the program, and have parental approval. Must have transportation to the work site. Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident. All applications must be received by May 10, 2013.

Selection: Enrollee selection will be on a random basis from the pool of all eligible applicants.

Depending on the applicant mix, an equal number of male and female enrollees will be selected. Those selected will be notified by May 17, 2013. Those not initially selected will

remain on an alternate candidate list, should vacancies occur during the program.

Number of Employees Needed: 2

For application and further information, contact:

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